WHEREAS, procurement difficulties have been discovered at the Department of Education and the integrity of the procurement process must be restored; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Education has adopted procurement regulations but they are not in accord with the procurement law [5 GCA Chapter 5,] as amended; and

WHEREAS, personnel at the Department of Education are not experienced in procurement pursuant to 5 GCA Chapter 5, as amended, and

WHEREAS, the Department of Education is in the process of procuring much needed equipment and supplies as well as undertaking significant capital improvement projects and hereafter this procurement must be done in accordance with the law and applicable regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOSEPH F. ADA, Governor of the Territory of Guam, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, as amended, hereby order that effective immediately:

1. all procurement and related activity including but not limited to purchasing supplies (including books) and services, and receiving and controlling inventory of the Department of Education be transferred to the Department of Administration General Services Agency; and

2. all procurement and related activity for construction at the Department of Education be transferred to the Department of Public Works.

SIGNED AND PROMULGATED at Agana, Guam, this 13th day of September, in the year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-Three.

JOSEPH F. ADA
Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:

FRANK F. BLAS
Lieutenant Governor of Guam